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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 09/994,945  
Applicant : Cangiani et al.  
Filed : November 28, 2001  
TC/A.U. : 2132  
Examiner : Bludau, B.  
Confirmation No. : 7284  
Docket No. : 0918.0111C  
Customer No. : 27896  
Title : Staggered Pulse Acquisition Method and Apparatus

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Commissioner for Patents  
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**TRANSMITTAL OF RESPONSE**

Enclosed are the following documents in response to the Office Action mailed  
**January 30, 2006** for the above-identified application:

- ☒ Amendment/Response (8 Pages)
- ☐ Petition for Extension of Time
- ☐ Request for Approval of Drawing Changes
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☐ Notice of Appeal
- ☐ Associate Power
- ☐ Revocation and New Power
- ☐ Change of Address
- ☐ Return receipt postcard
- ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

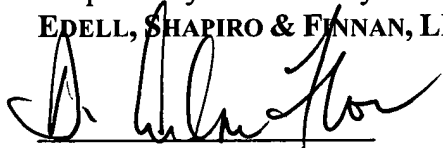
The fee has been calculated as follows:

	NO. OF CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	NO. OF CLAIMS PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	16	- 27 =	0	x \$50.00	0.00
Independent Claims	7	-9 =	0	x \$200.00	\$0.00
If multiple dependent claims are presented, add \$360.00					
Total Amendment Fee					\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims Small Entity Status (subtract 50% of Total Application Fee)					
Other fees:					
<b>TOTAL FEE DUE</b>					

- ☐ Check No. in the amount of \$ for the total fee as calculated above.
- ☐ Please charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 05-0460 for the total fee. This paper is being submitted in duplicate.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional appropriate fees that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 05-0460.

Dated: March 29, 2006

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION**

This Amendment responds to the Office Action dated January 30, 2006. Kindly amend the captioned application as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 7.